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To: Microsoft ATR
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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Dear Sir or Madam;

I am just writing to let you know that I, as a taxpayer/voter/citizen, feel that the settlement with Microsoft does not go far enough in limiting Microsoft's actions. I feel that they have taken advantage of their position as the controlling producer of operating systems with the sole purpose of making money. They have an unfair advantage and use that to control other markets.

I personally think that they should be required to provide any and all information needed for a competitor to write software that can function in their operating system. Office applications are a prime example of this. Competing developers did not have enough information about the operating system to be able to create products that ran as smoothly or were integrated as tightly with the OS as MS did.

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